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Examiner: Joseph F. Edell

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This petition is in response to a Notice of Abandonment dated February 1, 2007.

I have no intention of abandoning this patent application. My last correspondence from the patent office on July 6, 2006 was returned to your office as undeliverable, according to examiner Joseph Edell. The address appears to have no error. I did not know that this non-compliant amendment was mailed at that time and thereafter did not respond in a proper timeframe. Please re-open this application.

Very respectfully,

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Date: Feb. 6, 07.

Inventor's signature

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